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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page,
Item [73], Assignee, replace "**Hitachi Global Storage Technologies N.V.**, Amsterdam (NL)" with -- **Hitachi Global Storage Technologies B.V.**, Amsterdam (NL) --.

Column 3,
Lines 3 and 21, for each occurrence that portion of the formula reading "$\leqq$" should read -- $\leq$ --.

Column 6,
Line 48, that portion of the formula reading "$\Theta_L=$" should read -- $\Theta_l=$ --.
Line 51, for each occurrence that portion of the formula reading "$\leqq$" should read -- $\leq$ --.

Column 9,
Line 34, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

Column 10,
Line 29, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

Column 13,
Line 66, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

Column 14,
Lines 16, 31, 43 and 65, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

Column 15,
Lines 20, 35 and 47, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

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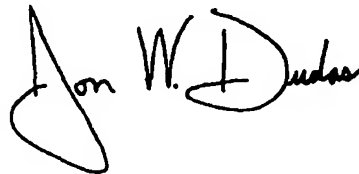
Column 16,
Lines 7 and 36, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

Column 18,
Lines 9 and 17, each occurrence of the symbol "$\geqq$" should be replaced with the symbol -- $\geq$ --.

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